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FOREIGN NEWS!

The Polynesian.

By the arrival of the clipper bark Yankee, Capt. Lovett, from San Francisco, in 11 days, we have San Francisco dates to March 3d, New Orleans to Feb. 12, New York Feb. 5, and Europe Jan. 22.

The Steamer Sonora arrived at San Francisco on March I, from Panama with the mails. On her downward trip she saw 16 sail of square-rigged vessels in Margarita Bay, supposed to be whalers.

The American sloop of war Decatur had been ordered from the Central American Coast to San Francisco. From Victoria, V. I., we learn that the Ameri-

can residents in Victoria had applied to Gov. Douglas for permission to fire salutes on the 22d Feb., in honor of Washington's birth day, but had been refused. Great excitement prevailed in consequence, and the Americans had published a protest against the indignity put upon them.

ans at Nittinat Sound. H. B. M. steam frigate Tribune, 31 guns, and the steam corvette Pylades had arrived at Victoria

The brig Swiss Boy had been burnt by the Indi-

United States.

from China.

Washington, Feb. 4.-The Committee appointed by the House to examine into the charges of corruption of the Navy Department, of which Mr. Sherman, of Ohio, is Chairman, commenced taking testimony to-day, and elicited some facts which route to connect the Eastern and Western porhave created a sensation in official quarters. The tions of the Union by railway, is from Memphis testimony already before the Committee proves via Little Rock and Fulton to El Paso, and thence that the most flagrant frauds have been committed | to San Diego. The convention was well attended, in the Navy Department. The most recent dis- and the proceedings were of an interesting charclosures relate to the agency established for the acter.

purpose of supplying the Navy with coal. dent Buchanan. J. Glancy Jones is implicated in distance of this newly discovered gold field. other equally flagrant transactions of a corrupt

It is reported that Gen. Lamar, our Nicaraguan Minister, has been guilty of gross misconduct in | Bulletin says : perior Bilhard Tables and Bowling Alleys. Hot, cold and shower Baths. Corner of Beretanis and Nuuanu streets. The report is discredited by the Government.

Roosevelt, of N. Y., will receive the appointment | Never Cruz, to make use of the first opportunity to of Minister to England, to succeed Mr. Dallas. In the House, the Committee on Military Affairs decided adversely to the recommendation of the President-the establishment of military posts in Sonora and Chihuahua.

ported adversely to the territorial organization of Jefferson Territory, which includes the Pike's Peak The Senate to-day passed a bill appropriating \$60,000 for the relief of the captain and crew of

the brig General Armstrong. A Paris letter received in this city, from a reliable source, says it is not probable that our newlyappointed Minister to Spain, Mr. Preston, will be received by the Spanish Government. If he should be received the writer is confident that the first intimation he makes, in regard to the purchase of Cuba, will be deemed sufficient ground for tendering him his passports. Our Government has no official advices from Spain in regard to the matter.

Washington, Jan. 30 .- The report by Mr. Branch from the House Committee on Foreign Affairs shows strongly the advantages which would accrue to the United States by the possession of Cuba, and expresses the opinion that the native white population of the Island eagerly desire annexation. The report recommends a bill to provide for the purchase of Cuba, similar to those passed previous to the acquisition of Louisiana and California. There are various reports of the action of the

Post Office at Washington. One of these is to the effect that they have it in serious contemplation to abolish the California Overland route, on account of its enormous expense. Congress will undoubtedly lop off that branch of the Post Office burdens rather than deprive themselves of the franking privilege, a luxury they have enjoyed so long that it would be like pulling their eye-teeth to take it from them. The Pacific Railroad bill came to a final vote in

the United States Senate on the 27th instant, and was killed by the striking out the entire body of the bill, leaving nothing standing but a clause which had been inserted as an amendment on motion of Senator Doolittle of Wisconsin. This amendment is a very pitiful remnant of so grand a proposition, and amounts to just nothing at all, as and he recommends his views on this question, it cannot be seen that the bill will be set forward as expressed in his annual report, to favorable an inch at the next session thereby. Public opinion, however, which is moving stronger and stronger every day in favor of this great national measure, will prove an all-powerful motor when next the bill is reproduced for the action of Congress.

William H. Prescott, the American historian, is dead. This mournful event took place suddenly, Sugar Cane. The estate is unencumbered, and of paralysis, at Boston, on the 28th January last.

Will be sold by Fee Simple Title. For full particulars and The distinguished position which the descent The distinguished position which the deceased held as a man of letters, not only in the literary circles of America, but in those of Europe and the enlightened world, deserve that something more than a passing notice should be made of his death, For Sale, or to Let for the Season, with the It is by rewarding our eminent men while they are alive, and honoring and revering their memories when dead, that we encourage coming generations to emulate their examples, and to try and eclipse their glory. In American literature, no man, probably, stood higher than Mr. Prescott. None has done more to honor the American name, and none

has reflected more credit upon his country. Interesting to Mothers -Is not this rather a peculiar "reward of merit?" A Mrs. Rogers, the wife of one Henry D. Rogers, of Tittahawassee, prepared. Michigan, has been presented with 640 acres of land by the State Legislature, because she gave birth on 1st Jan. to four healthy children-three girls and one boy.

The following satire is going the rounds of the

The Tribune publishes a private letter from London, giving the writer's views of the motives of the British Government in the appointment of FOR A TERM OF FIVE YEARS OR MORE, ON Lord Lyons Minister to Washington in place of in negotiations for acquiring the island of Cuba. reasonable terms, that portion or LOT OF LAND, situated on Walkiki Plain (adjoining the lots on Tho-but does not vouch for the truth of its conclusions. For terms and other particulars, apply by letter addressed to MR. JOSEPH HENRY RAY, or his Attorney, care of the the construction of the great Colonial Railroad already arrived, and are in the Custom House. conduct the negotiations. He says:

"The scheme to which I have referred consists in the acquisition of the State of Maine by Great | in 1783. Britain, and in constituting it a member of the Confederation of provinces extending from Vanabounds in good seaports, accessible at all seasons and the Princess Alice. of the year, and is consequently the most prolific to New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Newfoundland ment for \$21,000.

and other islands, is thought to present an obstacle to the before-mentioned plan of a Vice Regal Empire, as well as to be dangerous to the commerce likely to flow from it. Besides, there is already established an English railway from Portland to Montreal. Its terminus at Portland is being filled up with English families, representatives of important Canadian and British interests. These interests the Imperial Government has declared to protect and enlarge by fair and honest means, if possible, but the possession of the State of Maine is considered so essential to the development of the projected Canadian Empire, as well as the security of the trade between it and the West Indies and Europe, that it has, I believe, been decided to take it by force, if the reasonable representations of the English Government to the Cabinet at Washington, backed by the offer of a liberal pecuniary indemnity should fail."

FIRST FRUITS OF OPPOSITION .- The fare to New York by the steamer Orizaba of the Garrison line, has been fixed at \$175, upper cabin; \$150, saloon; \$120, second cabin with stateroom; \$100, second cabin with open berth; and \$50, steerage. The fare by the Sonora, of the Pacific Mail Steamship line is, \$150, cabin; \$100, second cabin; and \$50,

steerage. Copies of all the versions of Mrs. Stowe's novel of Uncle Tom's Cabin have been procured or ordered for the British Museum. Among them are thirteen different German versions, two Welsh, two Magyar, two Wallachian, one Wendish, one Polish, one Russian, one Greek, one Armenian, besides Dutch, Swedish, Danish, and all the languages of Southwestern Europe. No novel ever

attained anything like so broad a circulation. MEMPHIS, February 9th .- The Pacific Railway Convention, which assembled in this city on Monday, adjourned last night, after two days' session. The report was adopted that the best practicable

Sr. Louis, February 9th .- Major Culbertson, The testimony in this case proves that large who arrived in this city this morning from Sioux sums of money were raised by means of the cor- City, reports the discovery of gold in great abundrupt influences and contracts of this agency and ance on the point of land lying between the Misused in Pennsylvania to influence the elections last | souri and Columbia rivers, in the vicinity of Steyear, by corrupting the voters, and for other cor- ven's Pass. Specimens of gold taken from these rupt purposes, and this, as is alleged, under the mines are said to be worth from \$14 to \$15 per immediate direction of J. Glancy Jones and Presi- ounce. The river is navigable to within a short

States and Mexico, a correspondent of the S. F. By the mail just arrived from abroad, we have It is reported, and generally believed, that Judge | fleet, with the Admiral on board, is soon to be at advices that the whole of the English West India

Speaking of the relations between the United

the government cannot be touched except by invasion. This I believe John Bull will resort to if

necessary. In the meantime, what is our precious govern-In the Senate, the Committee on Territories rement doing ! After all the smoke raised by Mr. Buchanan, I venture to say nothing to the point will be done. Yet, American grievances are on the increase, and no provision has been made for them. This is too bad, especially after we see what has been done by England and France. During last month, the English and French Ministers here sent orders of a violent character to their fleets at Vera Cruz, to make certain demands in favor of their subjects. Amongst other things, the Ministers took it upon themselves to remodel the Mexican tariff. Strange enough for a John Bull, an advance of 20 per cent was asked on the old outrageously high tariff. The commanders of the fleets, who are hard fisted, common-sense seamen, did not obey their Ministers' orders, and hence Vera Cruz is not now occupied by English and French horse-marines. But they seized the Vera Cruz custom-house, and have placed foreign interventors in it to look for the interests of English and French creditors, and they (the commanders) also secured the advance of 20 per cent. on the tariff asked for by the Ministers. Is this meddling with the Mexican Tariff not a species of interference not to be tolerated by the United States!

The Secretary of the Treasury has replied to a resolution calling for the actual and probable receipts from all sources, and expenses, for the fiscal year. He says the receipts during the first quarter of the present year were only \$23,231,009. and for the remaining three quarters are estimated at \$38,500,000, of which \$37,000,000 has to come from customs. It is estimated that the pension nouncement had a depressing effect upon the Paris bill alone, which has passed the House, will add several millions to this year's expenses, and more still for the next year. As a means of revenue, he advocates the abolition of the franking privilege and the raising of the rates of postage to five cents. The present tariff, he thinks, should be so modified as to supply such deficiency as may exist. consideration. He says that in the estimates of receipts and expenditures, the redemption of Treasury notes has not been contemplated, all the calculations having been made upon the basis of conly exporting into Italy or moving thither. tinuing them in circulation; and if they are to be redeemed, it will require nearly eighteen millions of dollars to do so, at the close of June next. Should Congress adjourn without doing something to relieve the Treasury, it will be impossible to meet the current liabilities until another Congress can be convened. Although opposed to converting these notes into a permanent debt, he is in favor of extending their issue for two years.

It was reported in Washington that the conduct of the Administration upon the subject of Cuba was not properly understood, and that it had none other than the most friendly disposition toward Spain, but wishes to be prepared for any possible emergency, such as a revolution in Europe, or a general war, when the acquisition of Cuba might be a necessity for us and acceptable to Spain. It is thought the volcanic fires of disorder already show indications of agitation, and we ought to be An essay, by John S. Thrasher, on the "Pur-

chase of Cuba," has been distributed in Congress and to the heads of departments. It caused a marked sensation. WASHINGTON, Feb. 9. In the senate to-day, after a brief debate, it was agreed by a vote of 20 yeas to 17 nays, to proceed to-morrow to the discussion of the bill to

place an appropriation of thirty millions of dol-

lars at the disposition of the President, to be used A British Regiment, the 42d Highlanders, are The pith of it is, that Britain desires the annexa- hourly expected here (New York) in two detachthe construction of the great Colonial Railroad, already arrived, and are in the Custom House. and it desires a man of firmness at Washington to Our citizen soldiers expect to have a good time with them. This regiment will be a novelty not witnessed since the British evacuated New York

Lord Napier's successor will arrive about the end of February. His Lordship is, it is said, Confederation of provinces extending from Van-couver Island to New Foundland, north of the marriage between one of the Princes of Orange in disguise to the Melbourne, and the whole party American line to the Arctic regions. Maine marriage between one of the Princes of Orange

The English thorough-bred stallion "Flying school for sailors in the New World. Its proximity Dutchman," has been sold to the French govern- the protection of Her Majesty's government.

No. 46.

Sir Wm. Gore Ouseley has succeeded in getting all he wants from the Nicaraguans in the way of treaties. His treaty is signed and gone to Europe.

The Century speaking of the Cuba purchase and its consequences, viz., the blockade of the whole United States coast, East and South and West, and the probable "conversion of California and the whole Pacific coast into Anglo-French colo-

" So far as common human calculations go, these would be the imminent practical results of an attempt to seize Cuba by force. If the reader thinks they are extravagantly set forth, let him consider the prodigious conquests now contemplated by the United States, under the absurd motto of "manifest destiny." We are by no means certain that flags embroidered with the words " the continent to the Isthmus," would not carry the Presidential contest of 1860, over all opposition.

The passage by the conservative branch of Congress of the thirty millions bill is now highly probable. That act of itself, investing the President and a few of his confidential advisers with an extent of power that no living people would delegate to king or autocrat, would be so wide a departure from the principles and spirit of our Constitution, that no subsequent folly or madness would excite surprise."

Naval Items,

The Merrimac is lying at Realejo. The Decatur has been laying in the Gulf of Fonseca since the middle of January, watching for filibusters. She has her long boat on special duty, anchored under the land, with a crew fully armed and in charge of Lieut. De Haven. It seems that when the Vizen went up from here, the 1st of January, she carried a report that the Hermann was about leaving San Francisco with a load of filibusters for Nicaragua. How or where this report originated no one knows, though it is laid at the door of the British officers. It reached the ears of Commodore Long, and he at once dispatched the Decatur for the purpose of preventing the landing of the invaders, with orders to remain until the 15th February and then return to Realejo. She will then be dispatched for Panama.

Enropean News.

The Austrian Government has issued a conciliaory note upon the Servian question, which it is thought will create a peaceful turn of affairs in that direction.

ing for sea. The Paris Moniteur announces the entire abolition of the use of passports.

A large number of French transports are prepar-

The English Parliament will be asked for a considerable increase in the naval estimates. * Parliament had been prorogued till Feb. 3, then to meet for the dispatch of business. The London Times, in an editorial upon the

Monroe Doctrine, points out the extraordinary chastise these people. As the country now stands, liberties taken by America, and says :-"It is rather too much to say that with half of North America in our lawful possession, we must abstain from meddling in North American affairs, and it is a still stranger measure to found such a doctrine on the simple principles of political fra-

> Accounts from Lombardy still speak of the disaffection of the people, and notwithstanding the assurances of peace by Austria and France, the confidence of the people in their being able to maintain peace is losing ground. The warlike preparations in France are steadily

ternity propounded by Monroe."

ister of Foreign Affairs.

regiments of the line.

public confidence in the peaceable intentions of the Emperor. It is again rumored, but the rumor is generally discredited, that Count Walewiski is about to resign, and that Persigny is to succeed him as Min-

continued, and upon such a scale that weakens the

It is reported that an offensive and defensive alliance has been formed between France and Sar-It is said that the British Government has resolved to take efficient measures to protect the int rests of English subjects in Mexico, and will pro-

considerable extent. The London Times, in an article upon the subject of their Pacific possessions and the Fraser River mines, takes occasion to denounce in strong terms the manifesto of Mr. Nugent, United States Agent at Vancouver's Island.

bably soon augment their West India fleet to a

The King of Naples is reported to be dangerously ill. A later dispatch reports his death, but the report lacks confirmation. It is announced that the Austrian Government are negotiating for a loan of £6,000,000. The an-

Bourse and London exchange. An expedition against Algeria is reported as being fitted out. The insurgents are gaining ground, having been successful in several minor engage-

The garrison at Rome is to be reinforced by two

At Turin the belief in the probability of approaching war is increasing. It is stated that the movement of troops from Austria to Italy has been suspended. Another account says that large reinforcements are constant-

The leading journals of Germany are exceedingly violent in their denunciations against France. The Government argues the necessity of a perfect understanding between Prussia, Austria and the German States.

Advices from Bombay to the 24th of December

had been received in England. Nena Sahih, the great rebel leader, had fled to the jungle, and quiet was being restored throughout the Kingdom of Oude. Ismael Khan, a prominent rebel chief, had sur-

rendered to the British. There is no political news of interest from China. Teas were advancing owing to the short supply of good qualities. The Neapolitan Government has pardoned all political prisoners, but has ordered them into ban-

The Russians are making preparations in the Black Sea of a very significant nature, in view of the present threatening position of affairs on the Continent. Among the authenticated rumors from Paris are the following : that orders have been given to prcpare over 100 transports; that General McMahon

shment to the United States or Great Britain.

is to command the army of Italy, and that 30,000 of the African contingent are to cross over to Italy from the African coast. The Revolution in Hayti-Abdication of

the Emperor Soulouque. Subsequent to the capture of Port au Prince, Jan. 15th, by the rebels under Gen. Geffrard, Soulouque made a formal abdication. With his family and Ministers he took refuge in the French Consulate, and eventually succeeded in embarking

on board H. B. M.'s steamer Melbourne. The obnoxious Ministers, Lubin, Elva and Dressalines were not at once so fortunate-having been beseiged at the Consulate for three days and nights, by the infuriated Canaille, who were crying for were, by the orders of the British Consul General conveyed to Kingston, Jamaica, and placed under

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